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Selfishness and indifference to other people's comfort can make and create in man, woman or child a disposition that is anything but enviable and will cause their friends to distrust and shun them on all occasions. The selfish person usually leads the unfortunate possessor on to the time when he takes positive delight in torturing and annoying others, and when it is not curbed and no effort made to change the indifference and selfishness into more lovable traits, it takes the noble and honorable qualities out of life that proclaim refinement and that higher nature we expect to find in the true man or woman. It is so easy to be thoughtful of others and to do those little kind, generous and thoughtful acts that warm the heart and make one feel a positive thrill of delight when they put in an appearance. They have such winning, cheerful ways about them, and wherever they may go a warm welcome is awaiting them. Their friends are anxious to introduce them to their own particular acquaintances and others, knowing that they will create a good impression from the first, and that they need not be afraid of their saying anything that will cause offense or pain any of the other guests, but they are positively afraid of the selfish and indifferent friend and are in a constant state of anxiety for some one's feelings will be hurt or some guest will be slighted. They watch every move and endeavor to catch every word, for in such a case "forewarned is to be forearmed." Polly wishes every boy or girl who is given to selfishness and never thinking of anybody but themselves, forgetting that other people have their rights and feelings, would take this to heart and endeavor to throw a little more sunshine into other people's lives instead of casting shadows before them and sewing thorns instead of roses in their pathway.

toes stepped on and pins thrust into him as long as he intended to tolerate such treatment, and that if she did not teach her child better manners and more respect for other people, he would surely come to grief. As far as he was concerned he had ceased to be a martyr to the little tyrant and intended giving him a little of his own medicine whenever he gave occasion for it. Needless to say he had no more trouble from the boy, who then played his pranks on some one who was not quite so aggressive. There was not a person in the house who sympathized with the boy but his father and mother. It says to be kind, gentle and thoughtful of others, and little folks should be taught this in their earlier lessons.

Two young girls were talking earnestly together in the car the other evening going home from their work. Did you ever stop to think what a fine place a street car is for getting ideas new and old? These two girls were stage-struck. Both had seen Mrs. Fiske in "Tess," and one of them had seen and heard her in "Becky Sharp." They were enthusiastic, and both wanted to be actresses. One of them, who looked as though all talent for acting had been left out of her make up, said, "I am just dying to be an actress, and I would be willing to live on bread and water and study night and day to be as good an actress as Mrs. Fiske or Katherine Kidder." Yet listen to what Miss Kidder has to say on the subject. She thinks it is a mistake, and home is the place for women, and yet she is one of the brightest and most successful stars in the theatrical world. It is good advice she gives, whether the stage-struck girls will take it or not. Few of them realize the hard study and trials and tribulations that every successful actress must pass through to gain her position on the stage.

Current News.

CALIFORNIA.

ALAMEDA.
California College, Oakland, under Baptist management, has just received \$5000 from the Eliza Huggins estate and about \$2000 from the Baptist Educational Society on an old pledge whose conditions have recently been met.

In a practice game of basketball the University of California team defeated the girls of the Polytechnic High School at San Francisco by a score of 19 to 1. The high school misses, though the good players, were outclassed by the college girls in weight and experience. The Polytechnic girls were coached by Edith Brownhill, California, 1900, and is one of the best girl teams in San Francisco.

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when he saw the rose would avail nothing, he opened his eyes and said he did not know anything about the matter. So far there is little evidence against the prisoner.

Misfortune at the racetrack and fear of exposure are the reasons given by Marvin Ford, a young man of previous good character, for committing one of the most desperate crimes known in the history of the Police Department. At noon, on a crowded street, he knocked down a defenseless Chinese messenger and robbed him of a sack of coin which he was taking to his employer. The deed so unmerciful Ford that his capture was effected a few minutes later without difficulty.

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ARMY AND NAVY.

UNITED STATES.
Many insurgent officers are now suffering.

The Kilpatrick has sailed from Manila for San Francisco having 400 sick soldiers aboard.

Lieutenant Mapes of the Thirty-second Regiment has captured five rebel officers, twenty men and eighteen guns, nine miles from Manila.

Eighty men of the Fifth Infantry and a detachment of scouts surprised the rebel leaders Villamor and Alejandro near Papera. Villamor was wounded.

Lieutenant Low, with a detachment of the First Cavalry, recently overtook 2000 insurgents near Batangas. After a stubborn fight the enemy was driven to the mountains.

According to an order issued at the War Department, Captain Cyril King, assistant quartermaster, United States Army, has been discharged from the service of the United States by direction of the President. This action indicates that Captain King will not be court-martialed.

There have been further inhumanities in the charges against D. M. Carman, the American contractor, who with his partner, Theodor Caranza, a Spanish merchant, was arrested and charged with furnishing supplies to the insurgents. Proof has been secured of his supplying the rebels, showing that he supplied them with provisions, uniforms, and some arms.

A 13-inch gun exploded on the battleship Kearsarge, while the ship was at target practice off Key West. The gun itself and its superstructure were badly damaged. The battleship is at present at anchor at Pensacola, Florida, awaiting orders from Washington. All the ship's officers are in a quandary as to what will be the course of the accident, whether the ship will be ordered home for repairs or whether the Captain will be instructed to proceed on his cruise in the southern waters without a gun. The general impression is that the Kearsarge will be directed to continue on her cruise. The guns on this vessel cost about \$100,000 each.

SOUTH AFRICA.
Colonel Henry has captured forty-five prisoners and fifty wagons.

Piet De Wet has arrived at Cape Town to engage the Afrikaners in the peace movement.

Seven British Yeomanry, while out skirmishing, were captured by a commando near "Vryburg."

A cable from Pretoria says that raiders belonging to the Boer eastern commandos are being hard pressed.

Mrs. Botha, having obtained the permission of General Kitchener, has gone to visit her husband, General Botha.

The British have occupied Ficksburg with little opposition, and have released the prisoners who were in jail.

Large bodies of republicans have been seen near Donkerpoort station, north of Norvalspont. Shots were exchanged.

Two hundred Boers are raiding the Prince Albert district, looting stores and destroying orchards and gardens. Several were killed and wounded.

A dispatch from Pretoria says that General De Wet has crossed the Orange river north of Norvalspont and is going in the direction of Philippstown. The British are following.

Twenty-seven Australians, Cape police and dragoons were captured by Kruessinger's commando eight miles from Balaaspruit, after a fight in which three British and five of the Boers were killed.

Sir Alfred Miner, having notified the Government of New South Wales of his intention to send one officer to recruit in Australia for the South African constabulary, the Government has replied that the colony objects to such a proceeding.

The British columns are converging under General Buller. They are forcing the Boers toward the southeastern corner of the Transvaal, between Natal and Swaziland. It is found in the districts traversed that resistance has been shown by the re-publication in the Dutch paper Ermelo of the stories of maltreatment of women and the burning of farms. These stories were copied from English and pro-Boer colonial papers. The stories regarding the maltreatment of women are false and those about the burning of farms are greatly exaggerated.

According to the North China Daily News the Germans are planning an expedition on the Yang-tse-Kiang.

The Shanghai Mercury asserts that the allies are preparing a movement to force the Chinese to withdraw their troops from China and bring her to terms quickly.

The Berlin correspondent of the London Daily News claims to have official authority to deny that it is seriously intended to send an expedition into the interior of China.

Count von Waldsee has written to the German War Office, with a view to sending him to have all their available troops ready in two weeks for an expedition to last eighty days.

The military at Peking are now much elated at the prospect of active service. Many believe the Chinese army will strive to the utmost to protect the province of Shensi against invasion.

Major-General von Ketteler has dispatched an expedition under the command of Colonel Hoffmeister from Pao-ting-fu to Ito. Makovo, eighty-five kilometers northwest of Pao-ting-fu.

The Taku correspondent of the London Post says it is rumored that the Russians are shipping three regiments from Vladivostok, one for Tientsin and the other two for Shan Kai Kwan.

The foreign envoys at Peking have held a conference regarding the Chinese reply concerning the punishment of the guilty persons named by the powers. The reply was considered unsatisfactory and the envoys decided to insist upon compliance with their original demand.

The Chinese declare that the threat of the Waldsee expedition has been successful and that the court has yielded and issued a decree fully complying with the demands of the foreign envoys on the necessity of punishment. These statements require corroboration, but they are generally believed.

It is seriously doubted in Chinese circles at Peking that General Tung-fu-tsiang will agree to commit suicide. The actual worship of him has the absolute control of the Mohammedans and is believed to be one himself. He refused to allow the disbandment of 5000 men and the Emperor ordered him far from the court. To attempt his execution, it is thought in Chinese circles, might mean civil war.

MEXICO.
The Federal troops had another engagement with Maya Indians February 16th and the troops turned their flank and drove them from all their fortified places. The new Mauser rifles are extremely effective against the enemy.

UNITED STATES.

A powder magazine exploded at the Cornesbury mining camp, A. T., killing several miners.

Rudolph Smith, a railroad laborer, shot and fatally wounded Marie Bell in a resort at Great Falls, Mont.

Pugilism is barred in Minneapolis Governor Van Sant has put a stop to the proposed pugilistic carnival.

Four men were killed and one fatally injured in a fire that destroyed an unoccupied factory on Westchester avenue, New Haven, Conn.

Ed. Brown, one of the best known gamblers in the West for a quarter of a century, died at Phoenix, A. T., from hemorrhage caused by sneeze.

In the first game for the world's pool championship at the Hub rooms, Boston, Frank Sherman of Washington defeated Irving Long of Boston by 150 to 105.

Former Lieutenant-Governor Bates, of Jonesbury, Vt., has been offered the position of Judge of the Supreme Court, and he will accept the appointment. The salary will be \$5500 per year.

There is an oil well on the Joseph Beard farm near Hartford, Ind., that has a flow of more than 7000 barrels per day and has already inundated five acres of land with petroleum. Everybody is oiled.

A single order from one London firm amounted to twenty-eight tons of apricots from California. Plums, pineapples, quinces, apples and peaches are also largely utilized in this way, as well as strawberry pulp.

Colonel W. H. Hope of Beaumont, Tex., Judge O. M. Carter of Fort Worth and George W. Kears, a senior at Princeton, have been awarded the Pulitzer prize for the best oratorical contests last June, has confessed to the charge of plagiarism and has been dismissed from the university. He used an oration delivered at a University college and was awarded the prize.

Another of Carnegie's dreams is nearing realization. That is the establishment of the greatest shipbuilding plant in the world right alongside the largest iron and steel works ever built. Staten Island is the place named for these industries, and some recent purchases of several hundred acres of shore land are said to have been made with this object in view.

The trustees of the Boston Museum of Fine Arts, through their art commission, have authorized the purchase for \$80,000 of the large painting by Velasquez, entitled "The Prince Baltazar Carlos and his court." The painting comes from the private collection of the Earl of Carlisle, in York, England. Velasquez painted fourteen pictures of the Prince, whose chief aim to distinguish himself in the arts, and they seldom come into the market.

The body of little James Monahan, the seven-year-old Mount Auburn boy, who has been missing since February 25, was found in an empty barrel on Pleasant street, Waterbury, Mass. The body was in a crouching position at the bottom of the barrel. He had turned up his coat collar and, clasping his hands over his knees, sat there and froze to death. He had perished within thirty hours of his disappearance. His mother had received assistance. He was on his way home after having carried dinner to his father.

Warren Springer, a wealthy real estate dealer at Chicago, was swindled out of \$200,000 by Walter E. Furness, who is well known in the San Francisco police through his connection with the Jacobson diamond robbery, for his part in which Furness was sentenced to four years in San Quentin in 1884. Furness, with the aid of a young and beautiful woman, said to be his wife, and of one Thomas Connors, alias Fife, Fleming, alias Carroll, sold Springer a certificate of \$80,000 shares in the Fortuna Gold Mining and Leasing Company.

It is reported that dealers in bananas in Louisiana have entered into an agreement to keep Hawaiian bananas out of the San Francisco market by flooding the market with their own product, until the Hawaiian growers, unable to get anything for what they ship, become discouraged and withdraw. The report received at Honolulu regarding the Chinese with their bananas, many as 18,000 bunches a week are to be sent to San Francisco from New Orleans, to be sold for anything or nothing as the case may be.

Johnson and O'Neal, who have been held in custody for several days, suspected of complicity in the Cuddeby kidnapping case, have been identified as the men who killed the Marshal while robbing a bank at Brougham, Mo., several months ago. At the time of the robbery the Marshal's daughter was with the men who killed her father. At the time of the robbery the Marshal's daughter was with the men who killed her father. At the time of the robbery the Marshal's daughter was with the men who killed her father. At the time of the robbery the Marshal's daughter was with the men who killed her father.

M. Osiris, a Jewish philanthropist, has been endeavoring the greater number of the hospitals of Paris for operations. These are to be fitted up with the most perfect surgical and other appliances. Russia has advanced duties on all imports from America that will cut off trade with the United States reaching many millions. The order strikes all sorts of manufactured goods, and goes into effect the first of March.

An interview between the Kaiser and Robenau, the Berlin electrical expert has taken place. Robenau declares that within eight or ten years travelers will circle the globe in twenty-two days—nine on land and thirteen in the air.

A Mormon colony has just been discovered in Paris, with a temple in a private house. The male members number sixteen, having forty-eight wives. One man has seven wives, with just one child each. Another has three wives and sixteen children. All of the Paris Mormons are respectable and industrious citizens. Though the authorities have been informed, it is said that no prosecution is intended.

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BRIEF REVIEW.

Wonderful Qualities of Liquid Air.

Professor D'Arsonval liquefied air with great success at a recent conference of the Museum of Natural History at Paris. The air was liquefied by enormous pressure, and its temperature was minus 180 degrees centigrade. The liquid can be kept in double-sided silver-colored bottles, from which it will not evaporate as it did in former experiments when kept in other receptacles. It was shown that liquefied air destroys the elasticity of india rubber, which becomes hard and as brittle as glass. It can then be pulverized. When the air has evaporated the india rubber again becomes elastic. Meat can be treated in the same manner. Professor D'Arsonval showed a beefsteak that had been dipped in liquefied air. He let it fall, and when it struck the platform it sounded like a stone. It broke into pieces. Meats can be reduced to a powder that is easy to masticate and assimilate. Ice dipped into liquefied air will cut glass like a diamond, and mercury will become as hard as antimony. Liquefied air gives metals, especially steel, ten-fold qualities obtained by ordinary methods. It increased their ductibility, enabling them to be drawn out to the thickness of a hair. When heated it becomes so powerful an explosive that no metal can resist it.

Handwriting Characteristics.

The inexperienced ones are blissfully unaware that handwriting is really a physical characteristic of the human body, which is innately peculiar to its owner. You may, indeed, after its general form, like the man who writes anonymous notes, or cover it with make-up, like the man who forges a signature—the actor does both to his voice and face on the stage—but this, after all, is the most you can do. You cannot destroy, or even temporarily get rid of the characteristics of your writing itself. It is as much a part of the expression of your being as your manner of talking or your gait in walking, and that it cannot be destroyed is the more certain because no one, no matter how much study he might give it, could ever find out all of the unconscious characteristics of his handwriting.

Oldest British Peer But One.

Lord Gwydyr, one of the few peers with a really Welsh name, is the oldest peer but one in the kingdom. He is 90 years old. He was for a whole generation secretary to the Lord Chamberlain, and held that post when the queen came to the throne. Lord Gwydyr has lately given us a glimpse of his personal habits. It is only since he was 80, he says, that he has taken much care of himself, and even now he does little more than go to bed regularly at night and get up regularly in the morning. He has all his life been used to abundant exercise, and he ascribes his health and longevity to this and to his moderation in eating and drinking. He has not taken many holidays, and the few he has had have generally been in the autumn or the winter.

NEVADA.

Barnard Zinetti, an Italian wood-chopper, was burned to death in his cabin at Gaston ridge. Superintendent Harmon of the Gaston Ridge mine and some of the men saw an illumination of the sky and ran to the place to find the cabin had been burned. They saw the body of Zinetti in the fire. The heat was so intense that they were unable to bear the heat and fled to the body. Zinetti's blankets were found outside the cabin, and it is supposed that they were thrown out by him and that he returned for something else and was overcome by smoke.

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MARIPOSA.

During the past year the mining interest of Mariposa county have greatly increased in importance over all other forms of business, and have fully established themselves as the principal industry of the county. This movement, which commenced two or three years ago, goes on more vigorously than ever. The Mariposa grant still continues effectually the development of its many valuable mines. At Mariposa a large mine is now ready for work, while at Princeton and near the valley work is being actively pushed.

MENDOCINO.

Andrew Hansel, a fisherman of Fort Bragg, who is wanted by the Fish Commission for violating the laws, has been arrested. At the time of Hansel's arrest by a deputy commissioner he made his escape while the official was attempting to recover Hansel's nets. Hansel was tied to a tree and an aged man placed a net over him. The fisherman fastened the ropes and then beat the guard into insensibility.

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This is 6 miles east of Sutter Creek, on a small vein of high-grade rock in Calaveras formation. In one place it is stated that the vein is 6 feet wide, and that the rock will run \$25 per ton, and at the bottom of the shaft the vein is 8 feet wide in good milling ore. The shaft was sunk to a depth of 110 feet near Sutter Creek, and a drift extended out under the creek along the vein, with the result that the mine was flooded, the surface water probably coming directly from the creek. The property was provided with both water and steam hoist, a jackhead pump and a steam pump, both of which were operated as vigorously as the power would permit, in addition to bailing with the skip at the same time; but this combination failing to lower the water in the shaft, operations had to be abandoned.

SOUTH SPRING HILL MINE.

This property adjoins the Keystone on the south, and is in many respects similar to it geologically. After an idleness of about seven years, operations were resumed in June last, and at this writing, (June 10th) the mill is about ready to start. It is said that good ore is being found at the north end of the mine.

SOUTH KEYSTONE CONSOLIDATED MINE.

This is half a mile south of Amador City, adjoining the South Spring Hill. It is in the prospective stage.

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This is at Amador City, and is one of the most extensively developed mines in the State. There are probably not less than 10 miles of underground workings in this famous old mine, but all work at present is confined to points above the 1000-foot level, although the shaft is 1575 feet in depth. The formation at the Keystone Mine consists of diabase tuff, tuffaceous slates and the clay slates of the Mariposa beds, the latter lying west of the principal veins. To the west of these clay slates, massive diabase is again found. The principal veins, however, are those occurring in the tuffaceous slates. The main vein occurs along a fault-plane, which has a variable dip from 35 to 65 degrees to the eastward and extending more than 2000 feet in a remarkable straight course. On the hanging-wall side of this fault plane occurs immense masses of diabase material and quartz, which in places is more than 100 feet in width. Considerable portions of this constitute payable ore, although there are large quantities which it will not pay to mine. This great massive vein forms the hanging-wall of a banded slaty vein, which has produced a large amount of pay rock south of the main shaft. Between the 400 and 600 levels on this vein an immense store covering a superficial area of 20,000 square feet has been cut, the vein in places being 25 feet in width. There are few timbers and but one or two pillars in this great store, which has been open for years, which indicates how well this ground stands without artificial support. This is probably the largest open store on the Gold Belt. This was being filled as rapidly as possible during my visit, in order that the large amount of ore known to lie in the overhanging (so called) wall may be mined without danger. On the hanging-wall side of these veins is a greenstone formation several hundred feet in width, through which a crosscut has been run from a neighboring gulch. The great quartz vein lying in the hanging-wall side of this zone is from 1 foot to more than 100 feet in width when measured at right angles to its dip. It is made up of great lenticular masses of quartz, brecciated quartz and diabase, having interior fissures or planes running nearly parallel with the strike of the vein. These are usually referred to as walls. Some of these masses are built up by the splicing of the lenses. On the 800-foot level, and a few feet distant in the east wall of this vein, is an interesting though small vein in a roof of pyritic, black tuffaceous slate. Through the center of this reef is found a small irregular vein of quartz, with a small gouge and with numerous flat branching seams. The occurrence of arsenical sulphides is a marked and persistent feature of this little vein, but a more interesting feature is the occurrence of pockets of gold, ranging in value from a few cents to over a hundred thousand dollars. The latter was obtained between the 800 and 900 levels. Within the past year, Mr. W. A. Prichard, the superintendent, has discovered a number of good-sized gold pockets in this vein. On the 800-foot level, a dike of diabase intervenes between the great massive vein and the pocket vein above described, while on the 900-foot level, about 200 feet farther north, the diabase and reef of pyritic slate are passed through before the great vein is encountered. Arsenical sulphide was also discovered on the 900-foot level, in this vicinity. Although no pockets have been found on the 900-foot level, or below it, the indications are that the pocket vein is older than the great vein cutting across it, and that the pocket shoot may be found from the 900-level downward in the foot-wall of the great vein. In the large vein are found the widest stopes in the mine. West of this are two veins, separated from each other and the great vein by varying widths of tuffaceous slates. These veins were also extensively worked in former days. A careful and detailed study of the Keystone Mine would undoubtedly furnish material for a book much larger than the volume in which this description is found.

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How to Carry a Gun.
There are only two directions in which the muzzle of a gun can safely be pointed; these are up or down. A shot fired in air can scarcely injure any one or anything and one discharged into the ground is equally harmless. Therefore, in all the different positions which the gun assumes, see that it is pointed either up or down.

Sometimes a man will be seen carrying his gun reversed, holding it by the muzzle while the fore end rests on the shoulder and the stock projects behind. Happily, this practice is not common, for it is extremely dangerous, and many men have been killed by carrying their guns in this way. If a man stumbles or steps in a hole or catches his foot on a root and falls, his gun will very likely be thrown forward with the muzzle directed toward his body and may easily enough be discharged.

Sometimes one may see a boy or even a man who will carry the gun across the back of the neck, with one arm over the stock and the other over the barrels, sometimes with the hand resting on the muzzle. This is certain to give a very uncomfortable feeling to any one who happens to be walking by the side of the person carrying the gun in this fashion and opposite the muzzle end. While the danger of a discharge is perhaps not great, it is unpleasant to be walking along with a gun pointed at your neck or head.—Forest and Stream.

They Were Forming Opinions.
The club was full. Evening papers were at a premium. An atrocious crime had been that day committed, and every member was reading the account of the tragedy and eagerly discussing the details.

A foot had been found in the trunk of a body in the park. Loud were the expressions of horror and disgust. Suddenly a lull came over the crowd, and two small voices were heard above the modified din discussing the law of human nature which made people lean toward curiosity even in its morbid tendency. The small voices grew louder and the argument stronger, until at last a man in tones of undisguised pity turned to the spectators and said:

"So you think we are filled with morbid curiosity?"

One of the small voices replied that it looked very much as if that was the case.

"Nothing of the kind," expostulated the former speaker. "You mistake our motive. We are merely disqualifying ourselves for jury duty."

The man with the small voices immediately seized the only two newspapers and devoured them with avidity.—New York Herald.

Posted in Spite of the Rule.
Collector—I am afraid to present this dun in person to Mr. Grump. Had we not better forward it by mail?
Manager—Yes, but remember this is the only instance where we will violate our motto, "Post No Bills."—Ohio State Journal.

Drunkness in Scotland.
The matter of sheer, besotted, overmastering drunkenness we stand with our rivals in shameful isolation.—Dundee Advertiser.

Don't quarrel if you can help it. Quarrel is never made up.—Aitchison Globe.

A FAMOUS BANK NOTE.

The One That Cruikshank Drew and the Crowd It Drew.

One day about the year 1818 George Cruikshank was passing Newgate on his way to the exchange, when, seeing a crowd collected, he went forward to learn what was the matter and saw that it was the execution of several men and women. He was horrified at the spectacle and on looking learned that the woman was being hanged for passing counterfeit £1 notes. He learned also that this punishment was quite a common thing, even though the poor wretches often sinned in ignorance, being the dupes of men who sent them to buy some trifle and return the change to them. Wrung with pity and with shame, Cruikshank went home and immediately, under the inspiration of his feelings, sketched a grotesque caricature of a bank note. He called it a bank restriction note—not to be imitated. He represented on it a place of execution, with spaces about filled in with halteres and manacles, a figure of Britannia devouring her children and transport ships bearing the lucky or unlucky ones who had escaped death at Van Diemen's Land, or Australia, while in place of the well-known signature of Abraham Newland was that of "J. Ketch."

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BRITISH BANK CLERKS.

Summary Laws Trying on Those With Slim Purse.

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No clerk is allowed to smoke a pipe in the streets during banking hours or at lunch.

The average clerk's salary is not so very high, but nevertheless he must wear a silk hat and cane to the office, dressed as one with double the salary. Wearing a cap to business is not to be thought of, as it is an unpardonable offense in the eyes of the bank officials.

The salary of the average bank clerk ranges from about 38 shillings a week, but in many banks the salary is much lower and the chances of promotion very small.

A clerk's money is greatly diminished by his having to subscribe to numerous funds, such as a "sports" fund, to keep the cricket or football grounds in order, which he himself is never able to see.

Saturday is no holiday for him, as he does not leave the office on those days until about 4 or 5 o'clock.

It must not be supposed that the day's work of a bank clerk ends with the closing of the bank to customers. In fact, it only begins at that time.—London Express.

The Man With a Paper.

The man with a paper during the morning and evening hours in New York city is legion. There are about 400,000 of him. A man without a newspaper on an elevated train, in a street car, aboard a ferryboat or in a railway coach, morning or evening going to or from business is conspicuous.

He is a rare bird indeed, and looks as though he were wrecked and floating alone on a sea of tossing papers. He is sure to feel lonesome and alone outside the pale of civilization, for his fellow men, with their faces to their regular diet of daily news, hardly notice him.

If you have time to spare a moment from your morning paper, just look about you, in car or boat, observe and listen. You will see every mortal man—with one exception—in the glare of the news in silence, that is only broken by a continuous rustle as the scores of leaves are turned. There is no more vivid newspaper reading community than is found in the metropolis.—New York Herald.

An Ample Kitchen.

What is said to be the largest kitchen in England is that of Raby Castle, the seat of the Duke of Cleveland. It is 30 feet square, having three chimneys, one for the grate, a second for the stoves, and the third for the great caldron. The roof is arched, with a spiral cupola in the center. It has five windows, from each of which steps descend, but only in one instance to the floor, and a gallery runs round the whole interior of the building. The ancient oven has a diameter of 15 feet.

Vast as this kitchen is, it must have been sometimes taxed by the hospitality of former ages, for in one of the apartments of the great castle 700 knights were upon one occasion entertained at the same time. And the knights of that day were men of brawn and sinew, who would think lightly of demolishing each man of them, five pounds of beef, half a sucking pig, a venison pasty or two, washed down with huge flagons of brown October.—New York Tribune.

Frightened.

"You have not gone to Europe, then, as you expected?" said Mrs. Fosdick to Mr. Spriggs.

"No," was the reply. "It is so difficult for Mr. Spriggs to leave his business, and really I couldn't go without him. And then I read the other day about a ship that broke her record, demolishing each man of them, five pounds of beef, half a sucking pig, a venison pasty or two, washed down with huge flagons of brown October.—New York Tribune.

The Maelstrom Test.

Cholly—Oh, yes, young Getthar is rich and received in good society, but it is plain to see he is not to the manner born.

May—How is that?

Cholly—He can't get into a bannion without hitting his silk hat to save his life.—Punch.

Simplicity in Funerals.

The cemetery which marked the ancient Jewish burial ceremonies has been committed to it even to us. The inexpensive coffin and the uniform linen shroud served to emphasize the equality of all in death. As things are today the rich tax their brains to invent new funeral fineries and the poor impoverish themselves to keep up with their wealthier neighbors.—Jewish American.

MRS. GALLUP MOURNS

A SIGN WARNS HER THAT HER TIME HAS ABOUT COME.

So Between Soho She Has a Little One Sided Talk With Her Devoted Husband About the House and the Things That Are in It.

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When supper had been concluded, Mr. Gallup sat down to read a pamphlet descriptive of the Wiggins washing machine, and Mrs. Gallup hung a shawl over her head and ran over to a neighbor's to give warning that the chicken pox had broken out in a town only ten miles away and would probably sweep the whole country before it could be staid. It was hardly a quarter of an hour before she returned, and her first action was to pitch forward on the lounge and roll over three times before she got settled down into a comfortable position to do some weeping. Her conduct ought to have attracted immediate attention, but it didn't. Mr. Gallup was reading a declaration from the sole inventor and proprietor that the Wiggins washing machine had saved

the lives of three millions of people, and she was so busy weeping that she did not notice the fact that her husband was looking at her with a very peculiar expression. "What a queer sight," he thought, "that woman! She is weeping as if she were in the last stages of some terrible disease. I wonder what has happened to her. I shall go and see her."

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that you've got three shirts, four pairs of socks and five collars and two handkerchiefs in the bureau, and hangin' up in the clothespress is two old suits and one old hat. In the top drawer of the bureau you'll find a piece of crape for your hat, and in the bottom drawer is some farwell verses I writ out a year ago. I don't owe none of the nayburs no tea or coffee or sugar, and none of 'em owe me nothin'. Now, that's all, and if you want to kiss me and you're sorry I've got to go and I'll watch over you, why, then I'm ready."

She looked full at Mr. Gallup for the first time. His eyes were still glued to that pamphlet. It was stated that the Wiggins washer was so constructed that it could be attached to a potato slicer or an apple parer and no reader's interest could help but grow.

Mrs. Gallup waited 20 seconds, for an answer, and then as none came she softly rose up and went into the kitchen and began to get things ready for breakfast. She had been gone ten minutes when Mr. Gallup smiled. He didn't smile because he heard her singing a verse of "The Old Oaken Bucket," but because Mr. Wiggins finished his pamphlet with the declaration that no matter who wrote the poetry, the America, he proposed to wash the shirts of the nation. M. QUAD.

AN ENDURING CURSE.

A Famous English Family That Perished by Fire and Water.

The attempt of the Midhurst district council to convert the famous "Close Walks"—four old yew avenues—into a sewage tank is a story of a fulfilled curse. At the dissolution of the monasteries Sir Anthony Browne obtained a grant of Battle Abbey and the priory of Eastbourne, the parish in which the ruins of Cowdray are situated, and according to a picturesque tradition one of the monks cursed him to his face and prophesied that "by the water and the fire" his race should perish out of the land. What foundation there may be for the story no man can say, but unquestionably the Brownes did so perish.

George Samuel Browne, eighth Viscount Montague and owner of Cowdray, who was engaged to Miss Coutts, sister to Lady Burdett-Coutts' mother, was drowned in the falls of Laufenburg in 1793. The messenger who brought the news to England met one going to Germany to inform Lord Montague that Cowdray had been burned!

He was succeeded by a distant relative, a Roman priest, who was dispensed from his vows that he might marry and continue the line, but he died a few months afterward and the line became extinct. The estates went to the drowned viscount's sister, whose two sons were drowned together at Bognor in 1815. It is a weird story.—London Chronicle.

Here Early and to Stay.

In the very oldest fossil bearing rocks no insects are found. The very oldest fossil is a kind of polyp, making reefs of limestone when as yet the insects had not appeared, and it "fourished" in Canada.

The first insect known to have existed, a creature of such vast antiquity that it deserves the name of the parvian man can summon and offer to it, was a cockroach. This, the father of all black beetles, probably walked on the earth in solitary magnificence when not only kitchens, but even kitchen middens, were undreamed of, possibly millions of years before neolithic man had even a back cave to offer, with the remains of last night's supper, to his wife and children.

His discovery established the fact that in the silurian period there were insects, though, as the only piece of his remains found was a wing, there has been room for dispute as to the exact species.

Mr. Goss in his preface to the second edition of his book notes that what is probably a still older insect has been found in the lower silurian of Sweden. This was not a cockroach, but apparently something worse. If the Latin name, *Protocolex siluricus*, be literally translated it means the original silurian bug.—Spectator.

Animals Without Feet.

The hoofed animals, like the horse and the stag, have, strictly speaking, no feet. They walk on their legs, and their feet have become part of their legs. The advantage seems to be a lengthening of the stride, just as a trained athlete learns to run on his toes to increase his pace. There is also the further advantage of no soft part to be injured by contact with the ground. Some monkeys have four hands, which must be a great advantage in climbing.

The absence of legs as well as feet is an advantage in many animals that have to travel rapidly through the water or between the branches of trees or other obstructions.

Legs would be but an obstruction to the tadpole while he swims by means of his powerful tail, but when he leaves the water legs and feet become an advantage. So the snake is able to creep through underground and into small holes with far greater ease without legs, and even the slow worm which seems such a helpless animal on flat ground, can creep through a hedge with remarkable ease and speed. The rudiments of legs are to be found in many snakes, so that there can be but little doubt that the absence of legs has proved an advantage and that natural selection has removed them.

Poor William.

She (petulantly) "I don't see why you should hesitate to get married on \$5,000 a year. Papa says my gowns never cost more than that."

He—But, my darling, we must have something to eat.

"Oh, William! Always thinking of your stomach!"—Life.

Even Buds Grow Old.

According to Professor Adrian Sedgwick, says *The Youth's Companion*, there is reason to believe that buds share in the growing old of the parent plant. He illustrates his meaning in this way: Suppose the average life of an individual plant—say a tree—to be 100 years, then a bud removed when the parent plant is 50 years old will also be vitally 50 years of age, and if transplanted by grafting will be able to live on the graft only 50 years more.

Her New Toy.

Hetty (recently engaged)—Oh, mother, you ought not to ask me to make the bread now. The dough gets into the setting of my teeth and singes my tongue!

Mother—Then why not take the ring off when you begin to make the bread?

Hetty—Mercy! Suppose somebody should come in!—Boston Transcript.

Enough For a Swallow.

"You must keep your mouth shut when you are eating," said the nurse, as she gave Bessie a bath. "If you don't, you'll swallow some of it."

"What if I do?" asked Bessie innocently. "There's plenty more in the pipes, isn't there?"—Exchange.

STUDY ALL YOU MAY.

THERE IS NO SUCH THING AS A "TIRED BRAIN."

When a Man Thinks His Brain Is Tired, It Is Really His Stomach That Is Overfed or Some Other Vital Point That Is Weakened.